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Sir:

In response to the Office Communication of August 29, 2002 (Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment), in which it was noted that the Amendment filed on July 22, 2002, was not in compliance with United States Patent and Trademark Office rules, attached herewith are the following:

- (1) Attachment A - Clean Version of Replacement Paragraphs; and
- (2) Attachment B - Version Of Replacement Paragraphs With Markings To Show Changes Made.

We believe that with the above-noted attachments to this Communication, the Amendment filed July 22, 2002, is now in compliance for consideration.

Respectfully submitted,

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